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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2007/10 of 9 February 2007, S/2007/10/Add.7 of 2 March 2007, S/2007/10/Add.12 of 5 April 2007, S/2007/10/Add.15 of 27 April 2007, S/2007/10/Add.20 of 1 June 2007, S/2007/10/Add.25 of 6 July 2007, S/2007/10/Add.34 of 7 September 2007, S/2007/10/Add.38 of 5 October 2007 and S/2007/10/Add.44 of 12 November 2007.

During the week ending 1 December 2007, the Security Council took action on the following items:

Reports of the Secretary-General on the Sudan (*see* S/2004/20/Add.23, 30, 35, 37, 39, 40, 44, 46 and 49; S/2005/15/Add.1, 4-6, 9-12, 18, 25, 28, 30, 37, 40, 49 and 50; S/2006/10/Add.1, 4, 11, 12, 14-16, 18, 19, 23, 34, 36-39, 49 and 50; and S/2007/10/Add.17, 20, 22, 30, 38, 39, 42 and 43)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5784th meeting, held on 27 November 2007 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the deployment of the African Union-United Nations Hybrid Operation in Darfur (S/2007/653).

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representative of the Sudan, at his request, to participate in the consideration of the item without the right to vote.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended invitations under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Jan Eliasson, Special Envoy of the Secretary-General for Darfur, and Jean-Marie Guéhenno, Under-Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations.

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International Tribunal for the Prosecution of Persons Responsible for Serious Violations of International Humanitarian Law Committed in the Territory of the Former Yugoslavia since 1991 (*see* S/1996/15/Add.18; S/1998/44/Add.19, 34 and 46; S/2000/40/Add.24; S/2001/15/Add.3, 6 and 17; S/2002/30/Add.29; S/2003/40/Add.20; S/2004/20/Add.41; S/2005/15/Add.2, 10, 15, 22, 29 and 38; and S/2006/10/Add.8 and 14)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5785th meeting, held on 28 November 2007 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the letter dated 12 November 2007 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2007/678).

The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2007/683) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2007/683 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1786 (2007) (for the text, see S/RES/1786 (2007); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 1 August 2007-31 July 2008*).

The situation in Burundi (*see* S/25070/Add.43 and 46; S/1994/20/Add.29, 33, 41 and 50; S/1995/40/Add.4, 9, 12 and 34; S/1996/15 and Add.4, 9, 16, 19, 29, 30 and 34; S/1997/40/Add.21; S/1999/25/Add.44; S/2000/40/Add.2 and 38; S/2001/15/Add.9, 11, 26, 38, 39 and 44-46; S/2002/30/Add.5, 37, 48 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.17, 38, 48, and 51; S/2004/20/Add.20, 33, 38 and 48; S/2005/15/Add.10, 20, 21, 23, 24, 34, 37, 47 and 50; S/2006/10/Add.11, 25 and 42; and S/2007/10/Add.20 and 21)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5786th meeting, held on 28 November 2007 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Charles Nqakula, Minister of Safety and Security of South Africa and Facilitator of the Burundi Peace Process.

Meeting of the Security Council with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B (*see* S/2001/15/Add.42 and 43; S/2002/30/Add.9, 23 and 37; S/2003/40/Add.22; S/2004/20/Add.29 and 34; S/2005/15/Add.11 and 38; and S/2006/10/Add.38)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5787th (private) meeting, held on 29 November 2007 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

At the close of the meeting, in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the following communiqué was issued through the Secretary-General in place of a verbatim record:

On 29 November 2007, the Security Council, pursuant to resolution 1353 (2001), annex II, sections A and B, held its 5787th meeting in private with the troop-contributing countries to the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

The Security Council and the troop-contributing countries heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by William Lacy Swing, Special Representative of the Secretary-General for the Democratic Republic of the Congo.

The members of the Council, Mr. Swing, Lieutenant General Gaye and representatives of participating troop-contributing countries had an exchange of views.

The situation in the Middle East, including the Palestinian question (*see* S/2000/40/Add.39, 44, 46, 47 and 50; S/2001/15/Add.11-13, 34 and 50; S/2002/30/Add.7, 8, 10, 12-15, 17, 23, 24, 28, 29, 37, 38, 45 and 50; S/2003/40/Add.2, 6, 11, 15, 20, 23, 28, 33, 37, 41, 42, 46 and 49; S/2004/20/Add.2, 7, 11, 12, 16, 20, 25, 28, 32, 37, 40, 42, 46 and 50; S/2005/15/Add.1, 6, 7, 9, 11, 15, 19, 23, 28, 33, 37, 41, 47 and 50; S/2006/10/Add.4, 8, 12, 15, 16, 20, 24, 25, 27, 28, 33, 37, 41, 44 and 46; and S/2007/10/Add.3, 6, 10, 16, 20, 24, 29, 34, 37 and 42)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 5788th meeting, held on 30 November 2007 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to B. Lynn Pascoe, Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs.